

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF VERMONT**

In re:

Roman Catholic Diocese of Burlington,
Vermont,¹

Case No.: 24-10205-HZC
Chapter 11 Case

Debtor.

**OBUCHOWSKI LAW OFFICE'S MONTHLY FEE STATEMENT
FOR APRIL 2025**

Pursuant to the Court's Order Establishing Procedures for Interim Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses for Professionals and Members of Official Committees (ECF No. 180, the "Compensation Order"), Obuchowski Law Office ("OLO"), as special counsel for the Roman Catholic Diocese of Burlington, Vermont (the "Diocese"), files this monthly fee statement seeking compensation for reasonable and necessary services to the Diocese from April 1, 2025 to April 30, 2025 (the "Compensation Period") in the amount of \$1,708.00 (80% of \$2,135.00) and reimbursement of actual and necessary expenses incurred during the Compensation Period in the amount of \$0.00.

OLO's invoices for the Compensation Period, attached hereto as **Exhibit A**, show the individuals who provided services during the Compensation Period and their respective titles; their respective billing rates; the aggregate hours spent by each individual; a reasonably detailed breakdown of the expenses incurred (if any); and contemporaneously maintained time entries for each individual in increments of tenths (1/10) of an hour or less (1/20).

¹ In accordance with Fed. R. Bankr. P. 2002(n) and 1005 and 11 U.S.C. § 342(c), as applicable, the Diocese's address is 55 Joy Drive, South Burlington, Vermont 05403, and its Employer Identification Number (EIN) is 03-0180730.

Any party in interest has until **4:00 p.m. (prevailing Eastern time) on May 19, 2025** to object to the requested fees and expenses in accordance with the procedures in the Compensation Order. If no objection is filed, OLO will file a certificate of no objection with the Court and the Diocese will be authorized to pay OLO the amounts described herein.

Dated: May 5, 2025

/s/ Raymond J. Obuchowski

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EXHIBIT A

Invoice submitted to:

Roman Catholic Diocese of Burlington
 55 Joy Drive
 South Burlington, VT 05403

May 5, 2025

In Reference To: Financial Counseling

Invoice # 34769

Professional services

			<u>Hours</u>	<u>Amount</u>
4/4/2025	RJO	Review of matters for continued hearing on Benefits and 2004 and attendance on Zoom status conference	0.75	262.50
	RJO	Review of time and billing for preparation of March fee statement for OLO	0.20	70.00
	RJO	Call and response to Colin McNeil regarding: So. Burlington claim	0.25	87.50
4/5/2025	RJO	Review and prepare March billing statement	0.40	140.00
4/6/2025	RJO	Review of Monthly statements for Pachulski and BRG, and statements of no objections for Frederikson & Dinse	0.10	35.00
	RJO	Review correspondence on Bellows Fall property, and response to Attorney Ferrera on who to contract and information	0.15	52.50
4/8/2025	RJO	Call with Kate Nixon on dates for filing of second interims, with follow up with Jody on possible dates, and discussion with UST for objection dates, leaning to June hearing date	0.25	87.50
	RJO	Call with Kate N on issues on claims filed, and information on service	0.10	35.00
	RJO	Review and follow up on noticing jointly on fee apps for second interim	0.10	35.00
	RJO	Call with Clerk regarding: hearing dates	0.10	35.00
4/11/2025	RJO	Review of Attorney Levine's correspondence for hearing on Motion for 5/2 and response for calendar	0.10	35.00
	RJO	Review of Motion for Survivor's statements and exhibits, and memo for 5/2 hearing	0.25	87.50
	RJO	Review of recent correspondence on possible joint appraisers, and check on available name, and respond to Attorney Kinsella	0.20	70.00
	RJO	Follow up on timing on second interim	0.10	35.00
	RJO	Review Frederikson monthly fee app and Dinse notice of increase	0.10	35.00
	RJO	Review of docket entries, pleadings, and review on Realtor application to employ	0.10	35.00
	RJO	Review of recent correspondence and update file on dates and response waiting from UST on period for review and objection from Attorney Nixon	0.10	35.00
	RJO	Follow up on Stretto billing and payment	0.10	35.00
4/13/2025	RJO	Review of recent correspondence on Fee application and service date, and UST objection or review dates	0.10	35.00
4/14/2025	RJO	Review of recent correspondence and update file on dates for filing, and memo for preparation of 1Q 2025 application for OLO	0.10	35.00
4/15/2025	RJO	Begin preparation of Second interim, review of timeslips and categories for category billing, comparison with LEEDS slips	1.00	350.00
4/16/2025	RJO	Review of docket entries, pleadings, and March MOR	0.10	35.00

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4/16/2025	RJO	Follow up with Attorney Kinsella on possible appraisers and information on VT appraisers	0.25	87.50
4/21/2025	RJO	Review of article on Charitable immunity and follow up with Attorney Kinsella and Abare	0.25	87.50
4/25/2025	RJO	Call with Attorney Robbason on hearing	0.05	17.50
	RJO	Hearing on survivor statements	0.60	210.00
4/26/2025	RJO	Review of recent correspondence and note to file on Buffalo, and from 4/25 hearing	0.10	35.00
4/30/2025	RJO	Review of timing on Application filings and response to Attorney Nixon	0.10	35.00
For professional services rendered			6.10	\$2,135.00

Attorney Summary

Name	<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Raymond J. Obuchowski	6.10	350.00	\$2,135.00

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Raymond J. Obuchowski, hereby certify that on May 5, 2025, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing to be filed with the Clerk of Court using CM/ECF, which sent notification of such filing to all ECF participants. Additionally, I served the same on the following Notice Parties via the method indicated below:

Via E-Mail Roman Catholic Diocese of Burlington, Vermont Attn: Lorei Dawson 55 Joy Drive South Burlington, VT 05403 (e-mail address omitted)	Via ECF United States Trustee Attn: Lisa M. Penpraze Leo O'Brien Federal Building Room 620 Albany, NY 12207 Lisa.Penpraze@usdoj.gov	Via ECF Pachulski Stang Ziehl & Jones Attn: Brittany Mitchell Michael 780 Third Avenue 34th Floor New York, NY 10017 bmichael@pszjlaw.com
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